

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEFENCE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1218
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COMPENSATION TO DAILY WAGE MAZDOORS
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether some daily wage mazdoors employed by the Border Roads Organisation have died or were physically handicapped while at work;
- (b) if so, whether any compensation is paid to the mazdoors under the Workmen's Compensation Act, 1923;
- (c) if so, the number of mazdoors paid workmen compensation during the last five years; and
- (d) if no compensation is paid, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI PRANAB MUKHERJEE)

- (a) & (b): Yes, Sir.
- (c) All eligible (579) mazdoors have been paid compensation under Workmen's Compensation Act, 1923 during the last five years.
- (d) Does not arise.